

Amendment No. 1 to HB0826

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1069

House Bill No. 826*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3402(c)(1)(C), is amended by deleting subdivision (i) and substituting instead the following:

(i) Notwithstanding subdivision (c)(1)(A), a director of schools, or a director's designee, is not required to assign a student in grades seven through twelve (7-12) who has been suspended for more than ten (10) days or expelled from the regular school program for an offense of violence or threatened violence, or an offense that threatened the safety of persons attending or assigned to the student's school, to an alternative school or alternative program if:

(a) The alternative school or alternative program is located on the same grounds as the regular school program from which the student was suspended or expelled; or

(b) The director of schools, or the director's designee, determines that assigning the student to the alternative school or alternative program may endanger the safety of the students or staff of the alternative school or alternative program.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.